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# SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE

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Special Branch Registry.....OFFICE

**FILE NO.**.....D. 8948

**SUBJECT:**

Situation in Pootung under Japanese

Occupation.

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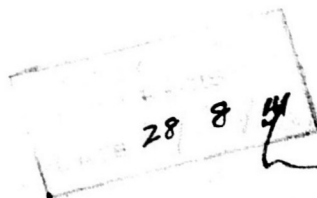
August 25, 1941.

Police Sub-Station in Footung raided by armed group

According to information received, at 11.30 p.m. August 21, a group of some 100 armed men, under the disguise of vegetable hawkers and led by 5 or 6 guides, visited the Police Sub-Station at Yang Sze Chao (楊恩橋), Footung. They asked for Chang Pah Liang (張伯良), Acting Chief and concurrently head of the administrative section of the Sub-Station. Chang Pah Liang, however, was absent as he had returned to his home in Chapei. At that moment, two sergeants of the Sub-Station named Liu Tseng Chun (劉增君) and Wang Ching Piao (王金標) raised an alarm and were shot dead by the intruders. The armed men then took away with them 2 rifles, 1 pistol and some 90 rounds of ammunition. The Sub-Station of the Armed Police Corps at Yang Sze Chao which is under the charge of one Zau Lau Fong (趙志芳) was subsequently raided by the armed group, who took away 7 rifles from the Sub-Station. The Armed Police Corps is under the command of Liu Teh Zung (劉鐵城).

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Commr of Police.  
Sir:  
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26/8. A.C. (S. B.)



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A Japanese Gendarme was shot in Pootung.

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To  
Superintendent  
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At 7.20p.m. on 14/7/41, a telephone message was received at this station from P.P.S.833 (Section II) S.Kogure reporting that a Japanese Gendarme had been shot at the Floating Restaurant, The Bund and requesting the services of the S.M.C. Ambulance to the spot.

S.I. Boddy, P.P.S. Orme and P.S. 798 (Section II) H. Imatake proceeded to the Floating Restaurant immediately where the Japanese Gendarmerie stated that this shooting affray had actually occurred in Pootung.

Prior to the arrival of these officials, the victim, one of the Japanese Gendarmerie, was conveyed in an ambulance to a Japanese Military Hospital in Civic Centre by two Japanese Gendarmerie accompanied by P.P.S. 833.

In the hospital, an army surgeon disclosed regarding this matter the following only:-

"Sergeant K. Nakaguro, age 28, Japanese."

In summing up information received by police, the victim was walking on Tongchong Rd. in Pootung together with another military policeman at about 5p.m. on 14/7/41 when some Chinese approached them from behind

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and fired two shots at them. One of the bullets penetrated the chest of Sergeant K. Nakaguro while the other was without effect.

The assassin managed to make good escape from the scene.

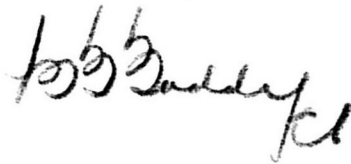
The victim was removed in a motor-launch to the Floating Restaurant where the S.M.C. Ambulance attended.

Official statement unobtainable due to the prohibition of this matter.

  
Gen. Det. 1/c

  
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July 15, 1951

Attempt on Life of Japanese Gendarme

At about 5 p.m. July 14, 1941, a Japanese Gendarme, whilst on patrol duty in the vicinity of the Japan-China Cotton Mill (日華紗廠), Pootung Point, Pootung, was fired at by an unknown desperado, the bullet striking him in the chest. The assailant made good his escape. The life of the victim, it is learned, is not in danger. Following the occurrence, a search was immediately conducted in the vicinity by the Japanese Gendarmerie but no arrest was made.

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE

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REPORT

S. 1. Special Branch

Date June 13/3

Subject (in full) Temporary Suspension of Business by the Great China  
Match Company

Made by D.I. Pan Lien Pih Forwarded by D.S.I. Wilcox

Owing to interruption in the supplies of raw material the Great China Match Company (大中華火柴公司) in Loh Ka Doo (陸家渡), Pootung, has temporarily suspended business for a period of two weeks as from June 10, 1941. The more than 800 male and female workers in the employ of the company will be issued a rice allowance of \$1.40 per day during the period of suspension. The issue will be made once every five days.

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SECRETARY GENERAL'S OFFICE

January 22, 1941. No. 8948  
Date 34 1 41

1st Company of the Asia Rehabilitation and  
National Reconstruction Army

\* Serial NH 33 (C)

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Sir:  
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*[Signature]*  
J. C. (Sp. Br.)

Some 100 soldiers under the command of  
Chen Zung (陳宗) of the 1st Company of the Asia  
Rehabilitation and National Reconstruction Army,  
No. 19, Lee Yen Ko Ka, Nantao, have recently been  
disbanded by the Japanese Military Authorities.

The cause of the disbandment of Chen's  
army, it is reported, is due to the fact that  
Chen has been in contact with Zee Hoong Fah  
(徐鴻發), an ex-guerilla leader who operated  
in Pootung and who surrendered to the Japanese  
during 1939. In December, 1940, Zee Hoong Fah's  
men committed several robberies in Pootung, which  
became known to the Japanese Military Authorities  
who immediately sent four Japanese officials and  
a Chinese interpreter to make investigations  
among Zee Hoong Fah's detachment.

Upon their arrival, two of the Japanese  
officials and the Chinese interpreter were killed  
by Zee's subordinates. This action on the part  
of Zee's men aroused the anger of the Japanese  
authorities, who immediately despatched soldiers  
to arrest Zee Hoong Fah and his men, but they  
scattered and are <sup>in</sup> hiding in Pootung.

Zee Hoong Fah approached Koo Yu Sung  
(顧裕聲) who was formerly an interpreter in the  
employ of the Japanese Special Service, to bribe  
Chen Zung with \$40,000 if Chen Zung would recommend  
Zee for the post of Vice Commander of the 1st  
Company of the Asia Rehabilitation and National

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attach a copy  
of this report to  
Nantao circular file  
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dated 3/1/41)

Reconstruction Army together with his subordinates serving in the army.

The Japanese Military Authorities came to know of the contact and dismissed Chen Zung.

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE  
S. B. REGISTRY  
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Headquarters,  
Shanghai Municipal Police.

January 6, 1941

To. Secretary & Commissioner General,

S. M. C.

The Commissioner of Police presents his compliments in forwarding herewith the mentioned documents.

Reference No:- D. 8948

Subject :- Close of ferry jetties by the  
Japanese Soldiers.

Enclosures

Copy of a Police report.

For information. No action required.

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January 7, 1941

Close of Ferry Jetties by the Japanese Soldiers.

On the morning of December 31, 1940, the Japanese Military authorities in Shanghai in closed all the jetties where the ferries ply between, such as Hsienan, Tsingtao, Chung King, Pan Lou and Chow Ho 200 to 2500. Only Yang Ming Road and the Chung jetties are open which are in the Japanese Naval Defence Area.

It is learned that the troops under the command of Zee Hsueh San (徐鴻慶), commander-in-chief of the Self Defence Corps at Chuensha, Footung, strength about 500, who were formerly guerrillas and during 1939, surrendered to the Japanese when they were re-organized into Self Defence Corps, have become lawless, often robbing and kidnapping. On December 27, 1940, they robbed the village of Er Woo Dong (二河塘, Footung) and at 8 p.m. on December 29, the Japanese authorities despatched an interpreter and four Japanese soldiers to the headquarters of the Corps at Dong Ho Chao (塘墓橋) to investigate the incident, but the soldiers of this defence Corps killed the interpreter and two of the four Japanese soldiers. Those soldiers immediately vacated that region for San Tsao (三灶), Nanwei where they are now in hiding. The Japanese Military in conjunction with some 500 soldiers belonging Ting Sih San, launched attack on these renegades on December 31, 1940 in order to clear them out and in consequence they closed all jetties.



Comm. of Police  
Sir:  
Informant: *[Signature]*  
A. C. (Sp. Br.)

October 23, 1949.

MINISTER  
OF THE  
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Footung Southern District Administrative Office -  
Registration of Public Bodies

The Footung Southern District Administrative Office of the Shanghai City Government, Footung, has issued a notification to all public bodies in Footung that they must apply for registration as from October 22. Application must also be made when meetings are being held.

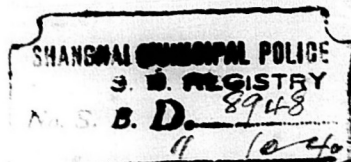
This action is the outcome of all public bodies in Footung sponsored by the Wang Ching wei Clique, ignoring the orders of the City Government authorities in Footung. The situation is being watched and the reaction to this latest order will be the subject of a further report.

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Headquarters.  
Shanghai Municipal Police.

October 11, 1940

To.

The Secretary & Commissioner General.

The Commissioner of Police presents his compliments in forwarding herewith the undermentioned documents.

Reference No:- D.8948.

Subject :- Footung Southern District Administrative Office - Examination of textbooks and arrest of primary school principals.

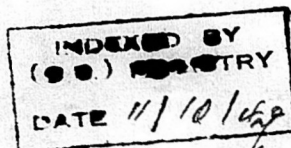
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Copy of Police Report.

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Headquarters,  
Shanghai Municipal Police.

October 11, 1940 .

To.

The Superintendent of Education Department,  
S. M. C.

The Commissioner of Police presents his compliments in  
forwarding herewith the undermentioned documents.

Reference No:- D.8948.

Subject :- Pootung Southern District Administrative  
Office - Examination of textbooks and  
arrest of primary school principals.

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Copy of Police Report.

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

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S. 1. Special Branch  
REPORT  
Date. October 9, 1940.

Subject. Pootung Southern District Administrative Office - Examination of  
textbooks and arrest of primary school principals  
Made by. D.I. Pan Lien Pih Forwarded by. D. I. Crawford.

During the past week, thirteen primary school principals have been arrested in Pootung by the Pootung Southern District Administrative Office because they have been using textbooks in their respective schools which are alleged to be of an anti-Japanese nature. They were subsequently handed over to the Pootung Office of the Japanese Gendarmerie and it is learned that three of the 13 arrested principals have since been sentenced to three months imprisonment.

The Bureau of Education of the Shanghai City Government have had printed a limited number of textbooks for use in the primary schools situated in the Japanese occupied areas. The number of copies printed are only sufficient for allocation to those primary schools which are administered by the Shanghai City Government and the private primary schools are therefore unable to secure any copies of such textbooks.

Consequently, the private primary schools obtained textbooks printed by the Shanghai World Book-stores, which were authorized for use in primary schools by the Ministry of Education of the Nanking Government (New Central Government). The Pootung Southern District Administrative Office nevertheless took exception to the use of these textbooks and arrested the 13 primary school principals for using them.

Dan Lien Pih  
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D. C. (Special Branch).

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Section 1, Special Branch.

REPORT

Date September 23, 1940.

Subject (in full)..... Japanese Special Service Department in Pootung  
transfer of Liaison Officers.

Made by.. D. I. Pan Lien-pih. Forwarded by..... D. S. I. Logan.

Mr. Hashimoto ( 橋本 ), Liaison Officer of the Southern Pootung Section of the Japanese Special Service Department, was, on September 19, 1940, transferred by order of the Department to the Poh Jao Section, near Minghong where he will hold a similar position. Mr. Shimizu ( 清水 ), formerly chief of the Consular Police in Nanking, has been appointed to fill the position vacated by Mr. Hashimoto.

Pan Lien-pih  
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D. C. ( Special Branch ).

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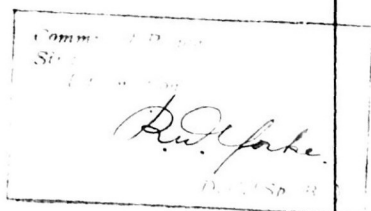
Section I, Special Branch. 8/11/40

REPORT

Date. September 18, 1940.

Subject. Salt Administration of the Ministry of Finance of the Nanking Government - Establishment of Tax Police Corps in Footung.

Made by D. I. Pan Lien-pih. Forwarded by D. S. I. Logan.



On September 11, 1940, the Salt Administration of the Ministry of Finance of the Nanking Government established a "3rd Battalion of Tax Police Corps of the Salt Administration of the Ministry of Finance" with headquarters in the Chang Ka Sz Tang (張家祠堂) Temple at Siao Zah Jao (小石橋), Ching Joeh (警局) Road, Lai Nyi Doo (爛泥渡), Footung, with one Chang Chuen (張權), as Chief. Chang is a native of Nanking, aged 40. Prior to the "September 18 Incident", he was Chief of Judicial Police of the Shanghai District Court. The Battalion consists of three companies of 108 members each; each company consists of three platoons of 36 members each. The particulars of the different units of this Battalion are given hereunder :-

Name & Rank of Chief	No. of Men	Place where stationed
Chang Chuen (張權) of 3rd Battalion.	36	Chang Ka Sz Tang Temple, Footung.
Lee Tsao (李超) of No. 1 Company and concurrently No. 1 Platoon.	36	Tung Ker Yah Sz Dien (東溝藥師殿), Footung.

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Name & Rank of Chief	No. of Men	Place where stationed
Tsai Sing Wen (蔡士文) of No. 2 Platoon.	36	Yang Ching (洋江) Village, Pootung.
Chow Zuan Ching (周子卿) of No. 3 Platoon.	36	Dong Jao (塘橋) Village, Pootung.
Wong Chuan Ching (王鑑卿) of No. 2 Company and No. 1 Platoon.	36	in Zung Wong Temple (城隍廟), Chow Poo (周浦) Village, Pootung.
Ning Ching (任敬) of No. 2 Platoon.	36	Poh Tsai (北蔡) Village, Pootung.
Tseo Sao Ching (崔少卿) of No. 3 Platoon.	36	Sanlintang (三林塘), Pootung.
Woo Yue Zung (胡裕康) of No. 3 Company and concurrently No. 1 Platoon.	36	Tatwan (大團) Village Nanwei, Pootung.
Huang Yue Zung (黃雨辰) of No. 2 Platoon.	36	Tukiahang (杜泉行) Pootung.
Yang Wen Cheu (楊文舉) of No. 3 Platoon.	36	Hangtow (行頭鎮), Pootung.

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D. C. ( Special Branch ).

SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

S. 1, Special Branch

REPORT

Date August 19 1940.

Subject Chief in the Tung Chong Road Area - appointed.

Made by D. I. Pan Lien Pih Forwarded by D.S.I. Logan

Mr. Cheng Zeng Tseng (張上珍), formerly in charge of the Branch Office of the Footung Bank in Footung, was appointed on August 17, 1940, by Tzu Ngoh Tseng (朱玉乾), Chief of the Footung Administrative Office, as Village Chief in the Tung Chong Road Area, in succession to Huang Pao Kong (黃寶康). He will not attend his office in Footung but all affairs will be dealt with by his elder brother Chang Zeng Kwei (張上奎). Chang is a native of Footung, aged about 40. He is at present employed as "Chief Foreman" by the China Navigation Company (B. & S.). Prior to the current hostilities, Chang was the Chief of the 6th Squad of "Footung Merchants' Volunteer Corps", Standing Committee member of the Dong Zuan (同善) Free Coffin Distributing Centre, Footung, and important member of the Footung Fire Brigade.

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DATE 20/8/40

## SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

S. 1, Special Branch Station,

## REPORT

Date August 19, 1940.Subject Kidnapping in Footung.Made by D. I. Pan Lien Pih Forwarded by D.S.I. Logan

At about 2 a.m., August 17, 1940, Yang Kyung Hai (楊金海), aged about 30, a native of Chinkiang, Kiangsu, was kidnapped from his home at No. 19, Foo Tung Lee, Tung Chong Road, Footung, by three male Chinese, two of whom were armed with pistols.

Yang, it is learned, has been dealing in heroin in Footung since the outbreak of the Sino-Japanese hostilities in 1937, and has amassed a large fortune.

Information to hand indicates that the three kidnappers were led to Yang's home by a girl of about 13 years of age, under the guise of being heroin purchasers.

On August 18, the Footung Police Bureau arrested one named Chang Zung Fah (張順發), a loafer, who often visited Yang's address for narcotics, on suspicion of having connections with this case. The Police authorities there are endeavouring to effect Yang's release.

Pan Lien-pih

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D. C. (Special Branch).

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S. B. REGISTRY

Case No. *B. D. 147*

S. 1, Special Branch *Stallone*

REPORT

Date: August 5, 1940.

Subject: Foreign godowns in Footung - private watchmen to be placed under the control of the Footung Police Bureau.

Made by: D.I. Fan Lien Pih Forwarded by: D. I. Crawford

Comm. of Police  
Sir:  
Information

*R. D. Forke*  
D. C. (Sp. Br.)

*Copy to  
E. & Z.*

*Sent, 6/8,  
am.*



The Footung Police Bureau of the Shanghai City Government about one month ago informed the managements of all foreign owned godowns in Footung through their godown keepers to the effect that the private watchmen in their employ should be placed under the control of the Footung Police Bureau and renamed police-watchmen.

Up to the present, only one foreign concern, Messrs. Mackinnon Mackenzie & Company, 27 The Bund, has taken heed of the instruction and the 12 private watchmen and one sergeant employed at their wharf at Footung Point have been renamed police-watchmen and are under the direction of the Police Bureau in Footung. They wear the uniforms supplied by the Bureau and receive a monthly pay of \$35 each in addition to a rice allowance of \$5, while the sergeant is paid \$60 a month as wages (rice allowance included). They are now paid direct by the Police Bureau which receives the wages from the company.

Enquiries at Butterfield and Swire Company, Ltd., French Bund, ascertained that the verbal instructions are correct, but they do not intend taking any notice of the request in the meantime.

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D. C. (Special Branch).

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S. P. REGISTRY

No. S. B. D. 8948

S. I., Special Branch II Station, 40

REPORT

Date July 10, 1940.

Subject Japanese Special Service Agent assassinated in Motung

Made by D. I. Pan Lien-pih Forwarded by D. I. Crawford

At about 8 p.m., July 8, 1940, HUANG YIN DEE (黄雲弟), secret agent in the employ of the Southern Motung Section of the Japanese Special Service Department, was fatally shot by three male Chinese at the home of his concubine on Tu Dee Dong Ka, Yang Ka Zah, Motung Point.

Huang Yin Dee, aged 42, formerly a leader in Tsungping, formed a guerrilla unit following the outbreak of the Sino-Japanese hostilities in 1937 and was soon promoted to the position of a Company Commander. In Autumn, 1939, he surrendered to the Japanese Special Service Department and was subsequently appointed a secret agent attached to the Southern Motung Section of the Japanese Special Service Department. A number of guerrilla members operating in the Tsungping area have since been arrested by the Japanese authorities as a result of information supplied by the deceased secret agent and it is believed that his death was brought about by his former associates.

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D.C. (Special Branch)

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July 8, 40.

Rice Situation in Nantao and Pootung.

Nantao

The supply of rice in Nantao is monopolized by the Nantao Ming Sung Rice and Paddy Association, 377 Min Kuo Road, Nantao, which was formed in March, 1940. This Association is sponsored principally by the Mitsui Bussan Kaisha and Mitsubishi Shoji Kaisha, which firms are the agents permitted by the Japanese authorities to purchase rice in the producing areas.

The Association at present distributes a total of some 70 bags of rice (See Mee), a total of 7 tons, to rice shops in Nantao every day. There is a stock of approximately 500 bags stored on the Association premises. The Association obtains its supplies from rice stored in Japanese godowns in Hongkew.

Rice shops purchasing supplies from the Association must first deposit with the Association a minimum sum of Yen 500, and each shop receives a quantity of rice equivalent to 90% of the value of deposits.

Although according to the regulations of the Association, purchases of rice are not permitted from sources other than the Association, the rice shops are at present permitted to buy rice from farmers bringing the grain from suburban cities. Purchases are also made from dealers in

the Settlement and French Concession. During the past week approximately 150 bags of rice were daily transported to Nantao from the foreign controlled areas.

The prices prevailing in Nantao are as follows :-

See Mee

Wholesale price - \$67.50 per "zar"

Retail price - \$68.50 " "

Foreign rice of poor quality brought from the Settlement

Retail price - \$50.00 per "zar"

Pootung

150 rice shops bordering the Whangpoo River in Pootung are now supplied with rice (See Mee) from Japanese godowns in Hongkew by Japanese firms. These shops are supplied collectively with 1,000 "zars" of rice daily. The prices prevailing are as follows :-

Wholesale price - \$56.00 per "zar"

Retail price - \$57.00 " "

The seven rice shop owners in Pootung who were arrested by the Japanese authorities on charges of instigating a suspension of business by the rice shops in Pootung, were released on July 5, 1940. It is reported that during their detention, they were questioned and detained in

Hankow.

There is no rice arriving from the hinterland of Footung.

The stocks of foreign rice stored in foreign owned godowns in Footung are estimated to be :-

Chi Chong Wharf, Footung	5,000 bags
MacKenzie Wharf, Footung	6,500 "
Butterfield and Swire godowns in Footung	25,000 "

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S. B. REGISTRY

Section I, Special Branch. *S. B. D.*

REPORT

Date June 16, 1940.

Subject..... Pootung situation - rice shops resume business.

Made by..... D. I. Pan Lien-pih. Forwarded by..... D. I. Crawford.

Comm. of Police

Sir:

Information

*R. D. Forks*  
D. C. (Sp. Br.)

2 copies to  
Mr. Busley,  
1 each to E  
& Z.

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The 150 rice shops in Pootung, which suspended business on June 11, 1940, resumed business on June 14 on the instructions of the Japanese Military Police and the Pootung Administrative Office.

At 4 p.m. June 13, ten representatives of the rice shops were called to the Chen Chuoh Road ( 陈 楚 路 ) Headquarters of the Japanese Military Police, Pootung, where they were lectured on the importance of maintaining the rice supply and instructed them to resume business. With regard to the question of the transportation of supplies, the rice shop owners were informed that they purchase their supplies for the time being from the Yang Sz Jao area (opposite Kaochongmiao, Nantao) and transport their supplies by road instead of by creeks.

A notification instructing the rice shop owners to resume business was also posted outside the Pootung Administrative Office, in which the Administrative Office states that protection will be accorded bona-fide rice dealers while transporting rice supplies.

At about 2 p.m. June 14, 1940, the Japanese Military Police stationed at Pootung,

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arrested one WONG PAO KONG ( 黃寶康 ), the  
proprietor of the Wong Tsung Kee ( 黃增記 )  
Rice Shop and Chairman of the "Rice Merchants'  
Association" at Pootung and six other rice  
shop owners on charge of instigating the recent  
suspension<sup>of</sup>/business by the rice shops in Pootung  
with the intention of creating a monopoly in  
the rice trade. These people are still in  
custody to-day 16th June 1940.

*Pan Lien-pih*

D. I.

D. C. ( Special Branch ).

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S. 1. REGISTRY

No. S. B. D. 8948

S. 1. Special Branch 8446/1

REPORT

Date June 12 1940

Subject: Footung Situation - Rice shops suspend business.

Made by D.I. Pan Lien Pih Forwarded by D. I. Crawford.

On June 11, 1940, some 150 rice shops in Footung suspended business because of the lack of supplies.

Information has been obtained that the suspension is really a form of protest and is due to the forcible purchase at \$37.00 per "zar" by the Japanese Military Water Police of half the supplies when discovered which the rice shop owners are transporting from the Sungkiang and Minghong areas by boat. The owners also state that there is inadequate protection by the Footung Administrative Office who collect a levy of \$0.40 per "zar". The rice shop owners have already appealed to the Japanese Military Water Police through the Administrative Office for the abandonment of the forcible purchase of such rice supplies while en route. A settlement of the controversy is awaited by the shop owners before bringing further supplies to Footung.

Pan Lien-pih  
D. I.

D.C. (Special Branch)

Comm. of Police.  
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Information.

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D. I. (S. 1.)

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S. B. REGISTRY  
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S. B. D. 12/3/40  
Date March 11 1940

S.1. Special Branch

REPORT

Subject.....Exhibition of Chinese and Japanese Paintings and  
Calligraphy in Footung.

Made by.....D. I. Pan Lien Pih.....Forwarded by.....D. I. Crawford

Under the auspices of the Footung Southern District Administrative Office and the Footung Section of the Japanese Military Special Service Department, an "Exhibition of Chinese and Japanese Paintings and Calligraphy" was held in the Ming Sing Theatre between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. on March 7, 1940. Some 40 large size photographs of Japanese factories and schools were on display but there were no exhibits of painting or calligraphy. The photographs were generally inscribed "Japan's contribution towards International Culture."

About 200 persons attended the function, comprising for the most part children residing in the vicinity.

The exhibition concluded on March 8, 1940 on which date a closing ceremony was held at 2 p.m. Some 200 persons including representatives of the various administrative offices in Footung and members of the Japanese Special Service organs in Footung attended. At the close the following slogans were shouted:-

1. Enforce the late Dr. Sun Yat-sen's Pan-Asianism.

2. Support Mr. Wang Ching Wei and his peace, anti-communist and national reconstruction policy.

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3. Support Mr. Wang Ching Wei for the realization of true democracy.

4. Support Mr. Wang Ching Wei and the return of the Government to the Capital.

5. Support Chairman Wang for the establishment of a new Order in the Orient.

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

File No. 876

Section 1, Special Branch. *Stdtoh!*

REPORT

Date. February 19, 1940.

Subject. Footung Southern District Administrative Office — propaganda week held in Footung between February 12 and 13, 1940.

Made by. D. I. Fan Lien-pih. Forwarded by. D. I. Crawford.

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The "Propaganda Week" sponsored by the Footung Southern District Administrative Office and the Japanese Special Service in Footung, which was not carried out fully in accordance with the programme as mentioned in a previous report, was concluded on February 18 with the holding of a meeting in the Ming Sing Theatre (明星遊藝場), Tung Chong Road, Footung.

This meeting was attended by some 100 persons consisting of Japanese Military and Naval Officers in Footung and representatives from Footung Chinese official organs, and was presided over by Tsui Hsueh Tsung (朱玉棟), Chief of the Footung Southern District Administrative Office. Speeches of the usual pro-Japanese nature were delivered by a number of those attending, after which a dinner party was held. Paper posters bearing the following slogans were posted on the walls of the premises :-

- (1) Welcome participation by Japanese military and Japanese civilians !
- (2) Establish a new order in East Asia !
- (3) Support the forthcoming new Central Government !
- (4) Establish a basis for national salvation and anti-communist work !

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

File No. 847

S. 1, Special Branch Station

REPORT

Date February 17, 1945

Subject Pootung Southern District Administrative Office - holding  
propaganda week.

Made by D.I. Pan Lien Min Forwarded by D. I. Crawford

The Pootung Southern District Administrative Office, in conjunction with the Japanese Special Service Section in Pootung, is conducting a propaganda campaign in Pootung for the improvement of "Sino-Japanese friendship", from February 12 to February 18, 1945 in accordance with the following programme which was decided upon at a meeting recently held by the Pootung Southern District Administrative Office.

- (1) Members of the "Friendly Army" (Japanese Army) may visit various amusement resorts in Pootung freely.
- (2) Members of the "Friendly Army" patronizing restaurants and food shops shall be given a 30% discount on the charges.
- (3) Delegates be sent to Japanese wounded soldiers' hospitals for the purpose of comforting the inmates with foodstuffs etc.
- (4) Delegates be appointed to various village guilds to deliver lectures on the following subjects :-

Sino-Japanese rapprochement.

Anti-Communist and National Salvation work.

Support of the forthcoming new Central Government.

Establishment of "New Order" in East Asia.

Up to February 16, no propaganda literature had appeared and no delegates attended village guilds to deliver lectures.

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It is learned that a social meeting sponsored by the Japanese Military and Chinese residents will be held in the "Sino-Japanese Friendship Club" on Pootung Highway, Pootung, on February 18, when a dinner will be given to the Japanese and Chinese representatives.

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

File No. ....

S. 1, Special Branch Station, 8948

REPORT

Date February 17, 1940

Subject (in full) Reopening of the Area in Footing under the control of the Japanese Naval Authorities.

Made by D. I. Pan Lien Pih Forwarded by D. I. Crawford

On and from February 15, 1940 no entrance passes or citizens' certificates will be required in the area in Footing at present under the control of the 4th Detachment of the Japanese Special Naval Landing Party which is bounded on the south by the Chang Ka Pang Creek, and on the east by the Yang King Creek, on the north and West by the Wangpoo River.



Pan Lien Pih  
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Section I, Special Branch. *Stalish*

REPORT

Date January 21st, 1940.

Subject (in full)

Shanghai City Government - to register poor people.

Made by D. I. Pan Lien-pih.

Forwarded by

D. I. Crawford.

On January 19, copies of a notice purporting to have been issued by Tsu Ngoh Tsung ( 朱 吳 宗 ), Chief of the Footung Administrative Office of the Shanghai City Government, were exhibited in Footung notifying poor people living in the area to register with the Administrative Office or with the various town and village guilds before January 25, in order to facilitate the distribution of articles for winter relief by the authorities.

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REPORT

Date Jan. 11th. 1940.

Subject Pootung Southern District Administrative Office - organizes a relief committee for the poor in Pootung.

Made by D.I. Pan Lien Pih

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For the purpose of relieving destitute people numbering some 300 or 400 now being sheltered in the Mackenzie & Co's Godown, Loh Ka Ts (陸家嘴), Pootung, the Pootung Southern District Administrative Office has organized a relief committee with Tsui Ngho Tsung (朱玉珍), the Chief of the Administrative Office, as Chairman. The expenses of the committee are defrayed from funds contributed by supporters to the committee and also from the collection of a surtax of 25 cents on every "zar" of rice bought by rice shops in the Pootung Southern District. This amount of money was found insufficient for the purpose and on January 10, the committee screened motion pictures in the Gee Chong Godown, Tung Chong Road, Pootung, but only about \$40 was obtained.

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REPORT

Date November 30, 1939.

Subject. Pootung Administrative Office - Registration  
of rice shops in Pootung

Made by D.I. Pan Lien Pih

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On November 27, a circular notice was issued by the Pootung Administrative Office of the "Shanghai City Government" instructing all rice shops in Pootung to register the stocks held by them with the authorities. The notice states briefly as follows :

"The recent increase in the price of rice is found to be due to the hoarding and manipulation by traitorous merchants. As rice is the essential food of the people, it is deemed a necessity to check such unlawful practice by the merchants. Notice is hereby issued that with effect from December 1, 1939, every rice shop must report to and register with this office in advance the quantities of rice to be purchased for checking purposes."

Enquiries show that this step has been taken by the Pootung Administrative Office with the intention of facilitating the collection of a tax. Although the rate of levy is not mentioned in the notice, it is however, known that a sum of 30 cents will be collected on each picul of rice. The Administrative Office will issue receipts against payment of such tax which will grant them the transporting of their purchases without interference from the police.

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Section 1, Special Branch  
REPORT

Date January 9, 1939.

Subject "Southern Pootung Merchants' Federation" (浦东南区商界联合会) -  
Formal inauguration.

Made by D.I. Pan Lien Fih

Forwarded by C. G. Gaudin

The Southern Pootung Merchants' Federation was formally inaugurated at a meeting held between 1 p.m. and 4 p.m., on January 6, 1939, on the former site of the Y.M.C.A. on Tung Chong Road, Pootung, under the supervision of Mr. Sih Ching Tsung (薛锦春), Chief of the 3rd Section of the Bureau of Social Affairs of the "Shanghai City Government." About 30 persons attended the function, including the following:-

Ho Chi-fah (何继发) : Chairman of the Federation; a native of Ningpo, formerly a foreman in the employ of the Kung Dah No. 2 Cotton Mill; at present owner of the San Tai (三泰) Coal Hong, Tung Chong Road, Pootung.

Tsai Ling (崔灵) : Vice-Chairman of the Federation; medical practitioner by profession.

Tsu Ding (朱鼎) : Standing committee member of the Federation; Chief of the Pootung Branch of the Great People's Association (大民会).

An executive committee of eight persons including Ma Tung Hai (马东海), a loafer in Pootung, and a supervisory committee of four persons including Wong Kwei-ling (王桂林), interpreter in the office of the Pootung Branch of the Japanese Gendarmerie, were established while Mr. Watai (渡井), Chief of the Pootung Branch of the Japanese Gendarmerie, was invited to serve in the Federation as Senior Advisor.

While delivering his speech during the inaugural ceremony, Tsu Ding stated that the Chiang Kai-shek Government has been attempting to further its own ends by sacrificing the Chinese people; that Japan has taken up arms to exterminate Communism for the salvation of the Chinese people and that the real aggressor nations are Great Britain, France, the United States of America and the U.S.S.R.

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The Shanghai Special Municipal Government is contemplating the formation of a Chamber of Commerce in each of the districts surrounding Shanghai. They will be placed under the control of the Political Affairs Administration of the district. A General Chamber of Commerce will also be formed to supervise the other chambers.

A Chamber of Commerce was inaugurated yesterday in Pootung with one Ho Chi-fah (何楚發), native of Ningpo, formerly an interpreter to the Japanese Naval Landing Party, as Chairman, and one Tsai Ling (蔡靈) as his deputy. This Chamber will collect a monthly subscription from the shops in the district.

It is learned that similar chambers will be formed in the Western District and in Nantao.

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